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MITOCHONDRIALLY TARGETED ANTIOXIDANTS

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Applicants note that an English language abstract has been provided for the Japanese-language document JP 5-310763 on the attached form SB 08a. Accordingly, foreign patent reference EP0536036, written in the English language, is a corresponding Patent Family member and is believed to provide substantially similar disclosure to that of JP 5-310763.

Applicants also disclose and wish to have considered the following co-pending applications by the same assignee:

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Authorization for the requisite fee of \$180 is submitted in accordance with 37 CFR 1.97(c). The Director is authorized to charge any other fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-1090.

Respectfully submitted,

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